APPENDIX A
LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

A&E	Accidents and Emergencies
ANM	Auxiliary Nurse and Midwife
ASHA	Accredited Social Health Activist
AWW	Angadwadi Worker
AYUSH	Ayurveda, Yoga and Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha and Homeopathy
BHC	Block Health Centre
CDA	Combined District Average
CDS	Central Drug Store
CEMONC	Comprehensive Emergency Maternal and Obstetric Neonatal Care centre
CHC	Community Health Centre
CMHO	Chief Medical Health Officer
DHM	Direct Health Mission
DMU	Delivery Monitoring Unit
EAG	Empowered Action Group
GNM	General Nurse and Midwife
HDS	Hospital Development Society
HMC	Hospital Management Committee
IDSP	Integrated Disease Surveillance
IEC	Information Education and Communication
IFA	Iron Folic Acid
IMR	Infant Mortality Rate
IPD	In Patient Department
IPHS	Indian Public Health Standards
JSY	Janani Suraksha Yojana
LHV	Lady Health Visitor
MCH	Maternal and Child Health
MMR	Maternal Mortality Rate
MOIC	Medical Officer In Charge
MPHW	Multi Purpose Health Worker
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NACO	The National AIDS Control
NFHS-3	National Family Health Survey, 2005-06
OPD	Out Patient Department
PHC	Primary Health Centre
PHF	Public Health Facility (shorthand for CHC / PHC / SC)
PPP	Public Private Partnership
PRI	Panchayati Raj Institution
RCH	Reproductive and Child Health
RKS	Rogi Kalyan Samiti
RTI / STI	Reproductive Tract Infection / Sexually Transmitted Infection
SBA	Skilled Birth Attendant
SC	Sub Centre
TFR	Total Fertility Rate
VHSC	Village Health and Sanitation Committee